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FOREIGN OFFICE UNABLE TO CONFIRM WHETHER AP CARRIED STORY WITH QUOTE DESCRIBED REFTEL; HOWEVER, PATRICK DUFF, HEAD OF WEST INDIAN AND ATLANTIC DEPARTMENT, SAID THE QUOTATION WAS ESSENTIALLY ACCURATE. REPLYING TO INQUIRY AT QUESTION TIME IN PARLIAMENT NOVEMBER 6, FONSEC CALLAGHAN STATED, "OUR AIM IS TO BRING BELIZE TO INDEPENDENCE THROUGH NEGOTIATIONS WITH GUATEMALA." DUFF COMMENTED THAT THE SECRETARY HAD SIMPLY REITERATED WHAT HAS BEEN BRITISH POLICY "FOR YEARS" AND NOTHING NEW SHOULD BE READ INTO THE REMARK.

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